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NOTE TO: DTR

Ambassador Allen plans to call a meeting for the Committee on Training sometime next week. The date has not been set but the meeting will probably be sometime Wednesday afternoon, 24 July. The purpose of the meeting will be to discuss the SIG's directive to the Committee on Training as contained in the draft report of the Working Group.

To facilitate your review of the pertinent materials, I have arranged them as follows:

- Tab 1. Minutes SIG meeting of 23 May 1968
- Tab 2. Copy FIDP
- Tab 3. Directives to the IRG's; Subject: Implementation of the FIDP
- Tab 4. SIG Directive to the Committee on Training concerning the assimilation in the NIS and in related departmental training of the guidelines of the FIDP. (This item, together with the FIDP, are the key documents so far as the Committee is concerned.
- Tab 5. The Working Group's report to the Committee on Training. Tab (b) of this report contains a draft response from the committee to the SIG's directive of 10 June 1968.
- Tab 6. This is a short paper which I prepared for NIS consideration. Attached to it is a broad outline of a proposed revised course which we believe to be more in line with the changes in emphasis and direction of the FIDP.

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The outline suggests merely some of the main guidelines, but it is suggestive of the kind of proposed course the NIS will want to staff out within the next month or two for the Committee's consideration.



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